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A Merry Xmas To You

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*Your Christmas Merry and Bright,
Your New Year Fruitful with a
Bounteous Crop,*

*Good Health and Abundant
Prosperity, that is my hearty wish
to all my Friends and Patrons.*

Leonard Ferne, - Clothier
BOW ISLAND

**The Bow Island
Cash Meat Market**

I Wish All MY Patrons And Friends
"A Very Happy Xmas"

AND

"A Bright
And Prosperous New Year

And I Sincerely thank you for your kind patronage in
this Old Year, With the hope that I may Serve You
still more largely in the New Year.

C.E JOHNSON PROPRIETOR

Xmas is here

If You are looking for a Gift to Please why not
A Box of Good Chocolates?

Neilson's, Moir's, Canong's
from 70c. per Box to \$5.00

Smokers Supplies of all kinds
Pipes from 50c. up to \$14.00 per set.

Fresh Baked Bread Daily

A. E. BROWNING
Baker and Confectioner

MAIN STREET BOW ISLAND.

George Lomas, Agent for OUR BREAD at Burdett



DONT FORGET

to look for the interesting
Christmas Stories in the
enclosed pages, as follows:-

"A Christmas Regeneration"
"Making Merry With Others"
"The Christmas Gift"
"Uncle Josiah's Christmas"
"The Christmas Goose"
Things You Can Make.
"Useful Christmas Gifts That
Any Boy Can Make"
"Dainty Little Christmas Gifts
in Cartons"

"Pretty Christmas Gifts That
Any Girl Can Make"
"Home-Made Ornaments For
The Christmas Tree,"
Games

"Games for Children
at Christmas Time"
"Holiday Fun With Shadows
For Youngsters"

Classics
"The Empty Stocking"
"A Christmas Carol"
"Different Now,
But Christmas Just The Same"
"Christmas Classic
In Author's Hand"
"A Christmas Superstition"

W. P. Cotton of Taber went
last week to spend the Christmas
holiday with his family at
the coast

Miss. Rosa Hurlbut left for
Medicine Hat last Saturday

We saw you Jim with that
Christmas Tree! the same old
Jim always trying to take
happiness to others

Mr. S. Bull of Maleh was a
business visitor to Bow Island
last Friday

The Post Office Inspector
came to Bow Island last Wed-
nesday on Official business

Mr. T. Brooks went to Taber
last Thursday, where he thinks
he will get work in the mines

Mr. Peterson our former
School Principal, now of
Medicine Hat was in town
last Saturday

Will the person who borrow-
ed our Pumprod Dies, kindly
return them
Swennumson & Co.



"Viking" Separator

We have a Good Supply of
Coal Heaters and Ranges.
Gas Heaters & Gas Ranges

Ostrum's Hardware Store
Main Street Bow Island

RADIATORS

**Bring in your Leaky Radiators
and have them Repaired.**

Heating Stoves and Ranges.

**Aladdin Lamps for
a Christmas Gift.**

We also do Gas Fitting.

SWENNUMSON & CO.

MAIN STREET

BOW ISLAND

**Late Shipment
at
Big Discount**

Beautiful China

at Two Thirds Regular Price

All Jewellery

at Two Thirds Regular Price

New Toys Just Arrived

**The Bow Island Drug and
Stationery Co. Ltd.**

SCIENTIFIC FARMING AND THE NEED OF AN AGRICULTURAL EDUCATION

ADDING MILLIONS TO THE WEALTH OF CANADA

The Application of the Principles of Scientific Farming Makes For the Possibility of Vastly Increasing the Production on Our Farms and Brings Fresh and Progressive Ideas to Farmers

Canada is primarily an agricultural country. In practical education, therefore, a first consideration should be given to agricultural education.

What progress we have made in the field of agricultural education in comparison with the importance of the industry?

We have done a lot for the farmer, some content.

As a matter of fact we have done comparatively little for our farmers. Something of farming, how many beyond the mere thought of farming, a team of horses, a mow, a binder, a plow, and plenty of hard work.

Compared with a little country like Denmark we in Canada have made very little progress in the matter of scientific farming.

Some men—and women, too—imagine that any technical farming education which takes a farmer out of his home and sends him to a school or college, is like looking at Canada today and seeking out the individual who has done most to promote wealth in Canada, would we be far from being right in naming Dr. Saunders, the man who gave Marquis wheat to the nation?

And his heirs? He might have died eighty or a hundred years ago, and his cows and horses might have been quietly and unobtrusively and never been heard of.

Along lines of scientific agriculture, he profited by his technical education, and his heirs have been in the laboratory and watching the result from a few birds of the air, and a few special conditions, and for a special purpose. The aim total of the study will ultimately be the production of millions of dollars to the wealth of Canada.

We have been so busy in the knowledge that from the commercial or financial standpoint this one student of scientific farming has done more for Canada than many captains of industry or great railway barons or kings of finance, or statesmen.

All the money spent on the education of the agricultural education has been worth while if we could point to no other product of our agricultural colleges than Dr. Saunders. To make your point plain, we have finally applied to farming, mean an average increase on every acre sown to wheat of nearly 100 bushels, and a greater guarantee from frost damage of the new variety of wheat.

Agricultural education is a thing of the past. It has been little short of a joke. It has not, as yet, given serious consideration to agricultural education. Our parliamentarians, as well as the press and the people, have been negligent of agricultural education.

We cry out in our large cities, and in our agricultural education, but we forget to say in other breaths that the means and facilities must be provided.

True, in Manitoba we have spent millions on Agricultural College buildings—specializing in agriculture every day, and every night—the fact—how much more concentrated general public interest has been in the educational side.

At the present moment we are faced to face, with the question of agricultural education. It is proposed to sell the old Agricultural College buildings and site to the government, take the old buildings and small site up the Assiniboine river, pay them out a balance of \$120,000 in the treasury, and start practically anew.

Is the move a wise one? We do not know.

HOSEA SAVES LIFE

From Suffering by Getting Her Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Pittsburgh, Pa.—"For many months I was not able to do my work owing to a lame back, headache, and nervousness. I called my attention to one of your newspaper advertisements and immediately my husband bought a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for me. After taking two bottles I feel like a new woman and my troubles caused by these weaknesses are a thing of the past. All women who suffer as I did should try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Mrs. J. M. Thompson, 1000 Lehigh St., N. E., Pittsburgh, Pa.

Women who suffer from any form of weakness, as indicated by displacement, inflammation, ulceration, irregularities, backache, burning, nervousness, "the blues," should accept Mrs. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound as a sure cure.

For over forty years it has been correcting such ailments. If you have mysterious complaints, write for a free copy to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

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Bravery in the Field

Great Skill and Gallantry Shown by Canadians

Bravery in the field among individuals of the Canadian forces is seen on coming under observation follow.

The lieutenant of a Winnipeg rifle battalion who won the Military Medal in the ranks led his platoon with great skill and gallantry in the storming of the Canal du Nord.

He was wounded early in the engagement but remained on duty because the company commander was seriously wounded. His personal coolness and judgment in command of the company leading it to its objective.

In the evening word of Hayter, the enemy counter attack and exposed the right flank of the brigade and he, with great tactical skill, formed his company into a flank. At night he made a daring reconnaissance, and next day, directed the troops on the right to keep up with the advance of his personal command of the manoeuvring and thus secured a very dangerous position.

On the following day, discovering that at 9 o'clock all the officers of two companies on his right were wounded, he led his platoon to the attack successfully through the machine gun fire, swept by the machine gun fire, and single handedly captured two machine guns.

When the troops on the eastern flank failed to keep up the line and beat off three enemy counter attacks, he led his platoon to the attack, and after a two hours later, returned command and protected the right flank against repeated attacks, and finally evacuated until the battalion was relieved. He was awarded the Military Medal for this gallant deed.

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Deserved His Reward

Splendid Record of United States Aviator

The splendid story of a young aviator—First Lieut. Edwin C. Cameron, U. S. Marine Corps—who during a two days' "military" visit to a British aerodrome at the front to gather information for a report on the aerodrome, also a record of his gallantry in the air, is a recommendation to the V.C. and the American Medal of Honor, and a record of his gallantry in the air, is a recommendation to the V.C. and the American Medal of Honor.

Mr. John Russell, in a report which was submitted to the American public information committee, stated that Cameron's record is as follows:

Took part in a fight with twelve German planes.

Smashed five of them while his own machine was badly crippled.

Shot down two others.

Enabled his British companions to rescue.

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Some
Biscuits
TODAY

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SPLENDID COURAGE OF CANADIANS

WAS SHOWN IN CAMBRAI BATTLE

WITHSTOOD TERRIBLE GRIELINGS OF ENEMY

Major-General Sir David Watson Says That Battle Was the Hardest Fight of Canadians and Was One of the Most Creditable Occurrences During the Great War

France To Need Food Supplies

Some Crops are Smaller Than Last Year

France will still have to have help in large measure in her food supply for the spring year, and America will have to continue to cut down her normal food consumption that the total rationed value of the 1918 crop of cereals, as well as of beans and potatoes, in France, is below the total food value of these products for last year.

The wheat crop, fortunately, is larger and of better quality, but the maize, barley, oats and beans and potato crops are considerably smaller.

The potato situation is particularly grave for whereas the average of the last 10 years is 12,000,000 long tons, this year it is only 10,000,000 long tons. We cannot possibly replace this indispensable food to English and American troops who are in the front.

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Filing Sodium Deposit Claims

Have Been Staked on the Bottom of the Lake

Producers and others in the vicinity of Saskatoon, have joined in a small syndicate to stake what are claimed to be potash-bearing strata under the lake and on its borders.

All the claims are located in township 37, range 16, and township 36, range 15. Whitehorse Lake is a long narrow body of water about 18 miles in length and from one to three or four miles wide. The claims have been staked on the bottom of the lake and along the shore line.

The claims are being staked as containing sodium sulphate and sodium chloride. Although nothing is said regarding the potash in the claims as yet, the words "and other minerals" are intended to include the potash.

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Prophesying

Professor Porta of San Francisco is said to have prophesied the end of the world on the 17th. December, we are thankful to say, we are all still alive and our little old Earth is still running around as lively as ever.

It seems to us, that earthly Professors cannot take upon themselves knowledge of things that remain a secret to all except God, for it tells us in the Bible that even the Angels in Heaven do not know when the end of the Earth shall be; how much less mere mortals know?

"Bit off his nose to spite his face" why of course not, no keen Business man is so foolish as to run down his own Town Paper because by doing that, it lowers the standard of his own Business.

Overheard on the Street

Wherever are you hurrying to my dear? said one lady to another. Why, I am going to Bateman Bros. as my neighbour has told me, "that they have the finest Navel and Jap Oranges. Nuts of all kinds, Delicious Christmas Fruits, and absolutely the Freshest of Groceries. And it is so nice to deal with them as they are so business like, and you can always have your orders sent home by their delivery Wagon"

PROWSE & LYONS

Barristers, Solicitors, Notaries Etc.
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Two vacancies in The Galt Hospital Training School.

Three years course. Three weeks' annual vacation.

Eighteen in the School. Comfortable nurses' home in separate building. Apply: Lady Superintendent, Galt Hospital, Lethbridge.

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Mass will be celebrated at 11 a.m. on Sunday the 21st, and Midnight Mass on the Christmas Eve.

United Church

Sunday School 11:00 Church 7:30

Piano Tuning

Organ and Piano Tuning, also repairing. Terms reasonable. Work guaranteed satisfactory.
Theo Danielson. Box 10.
Bow Island, Alta.

Byron would never have quarrelled with Bateman Bros as they sell such a delicious Tea, of which he was so fond.

WANTED

A clerk for Post Office work
Apply to A. Hamilton Post Office
Burdett, Alta.

Sunny Vale

From our own Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. P. Smith and Miss Smith accompanied by Miss Cayton were business visitors to Bow Island last Friday Miss. Cayton is expected to leave on Saturday night Train to go to her home in Forestburg Alberta.

Mr. F. Smith returned last week from Irricana where he had been busy putting up Hay for the winter.

A dance was given at the home of Ward Foster last Thursday night quite a few people being present refreshments were served and everybody reports having a good time.

Mr. F. W. Hines was a business visitor to Bow Island last Wednesday Mr. Hines left last Friday for Mr. Fleming's 10 miles South of Bow Island.

Feaster Figures on Weather after 17th.

Feaster evidently did not believe in Porty predictions as to what would happen on the 17th, as he continues to forecast future weather after that date. He is, however careful to take note of disturbances caused by planetary forces in their effect on future weather which, he says, have been the cause of recent storms. In regard to the storms predicted between December 18th. and 21st. Feaster says the first of these is not expected to be severe, the other will be the greatest and severest storm of this winter, but he gives the comfort that it will not reach all sections.

January will bring us one big storm period near the middle of the month, covering about a week, promising to be good during the other three weeks, except in cold waves that will pass meridian 90 west 4 and 25.

Household Hints

Russian Salad dressing is made half of French dressing and half of mayonnaise, with chili sauce, chopped red peppers, cucumbers and parsley added.

After emptying the greasy dish water into the sink it is well to put a piece of washing soda over the sink drain and pour scalding water over it. This will prevent the pipes from clogging.

The hard shell of the coconut, sawed to the proper shape and with holes pierced for straws, make a charming hanging basket.

To remove spots from handles of liver knives by rubbing with a chamois skin dipped in water and then in powdered pumice.

Shoes should be well sunned and aired and several pairs should be kept in use.

If the children's shoes become stiff from dampness, wash them with warm water, then thoroughly rub them with oil - preferably castor oil.

LUMBARD & HAMILTON

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If you want to Buy, Sell or exchange anything you possess, either large or small, just have it put in our "Bargain Column"

QUERIES

In last week's "Queries" there appeared one item "Why is it the tough birds of the town head the polls?"

Well, that item was sent in as a pure joke and a result of Elections. Jubilation and effervescence and without one particle of malice or ill-will to any concerned, but should anyone feel hurt, the Editor personally extends his heartiest apologies to them and assures them that he thinks the Electors did the right thing in electing them, for the Editor believes they are all good men downright jolly good fellows, the Editor having personally voted for them, and he now extends the hand of friendship. In this special season of Christmas, the season of Peace on Earth and Goodwill towards men.

May we all have a right Merry and Happy Christmas and the coming New Year be much Brighter and more Prosperous for us all than this poor old year of 1919.

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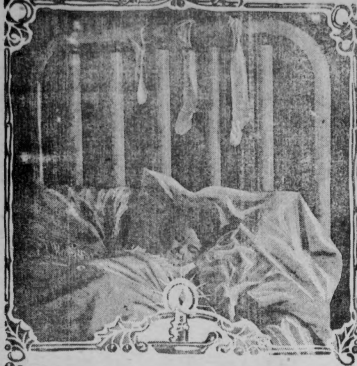
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*There's an empty stocking hang-
ing from many a little bed,
Where a God-blown dream hangs
over each sleeping curly head;
And the vision gathers nightly of
a day that's soon to come,
Where little feet should patter to
the music of the drum.*

*But out where splendor centers in
the mansions of the great,
No call will go unanswered, no
sot will vainly wait;
The Christmas horn will summon
—the Christmas drum will roll
The tide of joy in magic through
the gateway of each soul.*

*There's an empty stocking hang-
ing by many a wind-blown door,
That must wait in vain for
Christmas, in the gray haunts
of the poor;
And eyes that now shine brightly
shall, through a rain of tears,
See nothing there on Christmas
but the sorrow of the years.*

*But where one gift would brighten
the dark of weary days,
No reindeer's hoof will thunder
o'er Poverty's drear ways;
And so, for God's white season—
for some wee dreamer's cause—
Don't you think that you might
whisper just a word to Santa
Claus?*

*Different Now,
But Christmas
Just the Same*

By De Lyle F. Cass

In olden days they used to bring a bear's head-smoking into the feast and drag the holly-grown Yule-log to the great fireplace with special ceremonies. And years afterwards the custom was for bands of sweet-voiced boys to go from house to house on Christmas morning, standing grouped in the street and singing carols of joy to the mellow resonance of bells.

And in grandfather's time folks made up jolly, boisterous sleigh parties, where all muffled up snugly and let out the horses, with the fro runners gliding swiftly over the hard-packed snow. . . .

Now, however, there is a little house in town, where the sanitary department keeps the streets swept clean of snow; where there are municipal rules against chopping down trees and no fireplaces in which to burn the logs, even if we had them; where the policeman on the beat probably would arrest the Christmas carolsters if they came around singing woe up the neighborhood by singing early in the morning.

Mollie and I just wake up the kids and let them tumble downstairs to see the tree we trimmed the night before, and then let them litter up the parlor, while she sits quietly on the arm of my chair and I smoke, watching them most of the day afterwards. . . .

But, let me tell you, friends, it's Christmas, just the same!



A CHRISTMAS SUPERSTITION.

In the best of England it was once firmly believed that anyone who visited a cattle shed on Christmas eve would hear the beasts conversing. But such a visit was considered perilous—the irreverent eavesdropper being liable to hear words of ill omen, as in the legend of the comparing mountain notes of a certain hard day's work that lay before them in the future: "It is a long way up the hill to the churchyard, and our master is heavy." Brand speaks of a west country peasant who told him that he had himself once been so full of Christmas spirit that he had fallen asleep in the stable and overheard them utter a groan "like Christian creatures."

Christmas Classic in Author's Hand

"A Letter From St. Nicholas," Written by Clement C. Moore 100 Years Ago and Known to Every Child

It was the night before Christmas, when all through
the house

Just a circle and a vibrating, not pure a phrases
 The shavings were going by the chimney with care
 In hopes that the drifted snow would be their fate
 The children were pelted all pring on their heads
 Who under of pepp-plants danced on their heads
 And stomach in the hatch, and I in my cap.
 I glad got patted on cheeks for a long series of snaps
 When out on the lawn there arise such a clatter,
 I spring from the bed to see what was the matter
away - the pendant I saw like a flash
 Turn over the plush and there up the padding
 The moon, on the crest of the pearl-full flower
 Gave the white of mid-day, to object less
 When, was to my judging eye should appear
 For a moment just the light of the day
 Was as white as the day, as clear and good
 I knew a moment must be de rich.
 Here and there the eyes has counting eyes came
 And I whistled and shouted, and called them by names,
 "New Peas in new Bones in new Bones and these
On Green in Green in Green and these in Green
 To the top of the peak!" to the top of the wall!
 New dark away! dark away! dark away! all

A LITTLE book bound in red morocco holds the kernel of the children's celebration of the world over of Christmas. To look at it one would dream its hidden words are ever so plain, sitting in the heart of a countless vision, yet the charm its bright covers emanate is perennial. It is the manuscript of the famous children's classic "A Visit from St. Nicholas," written by Clement C. Moore almost a hundred years ago, and dedicated to his own children in particular, and as it has since proved, to childhood the world over.

This season it has as its companion in the library of the New York County Historical Society in Central Park West a photographic copy of the original text enlarged sufficiently to enable it to be easily read, for though the original chirography is quite remarkable for a man of Dr. Moore's years—eighty-two when he indited the poem—it is fine and old-fashioned, and therefore somewhat difficult to read.

The invention has proved a rare treat to the library patrons, and it is interesting to note with what reverence it is handled by men and women whose childhood days are long past, yet whose holiday memories are still bright. Two pages and a half are consumed in committing the poem to paper, and the repetition of the old familiar lines brings to mind pleasant thoughts of the season, for no one has ever visualized our American Christmas from the children's viewpoint as has Clement C. Moore in his rare

The lines were written as a Christmas gift for the author's two young daughters nearly a century ago, but it has since become a progressive gift to countless other girls and boys. Ac-

A Christmas Carol

"What means this glory round
our feet,"
The Magi mused, "more
bright than morn?"
And voices chanted clear and
sweet,
"Today the Prince of Peace
is born!"

"What means that star," the
Shepherds said,
"That brightens through the
rocky glen?"

And angels answering over-
head,
Sang, "Peace on earth, good-
will to men!"
'Tis eighteen hundred years

and more
Since those sweet oracles
were dumb;
We wait for Him, like them
of yore:

Alas, He seems so slow to
come!
But it was said, in words of
gold,
No time or sorrow's for the

No time or sorrow ~~er~~ shall
dim,
That little children might be
bold
In perfect trust to come to

Him.
All round about our feet shall
shine
A light like that the wise
men saw.

If we our loving wills incline
To that sweet Life which is
the Law.
So shall we learn to under-
stand

The simple faith of shep-
herds then,
And, clasping kindly hand in
hand,
Sing "Peace on earth, good

But they who do their souls
no wrong,
But keep at eve the faith

of morn,
Shall daily hear the angel-song,
"Today the Prince of Peace
is born!"
—James Russell Lowell.

A Christmas Kiss



**Dainty Little
Christmas Gifts in
Cretonne**

By DOROTHY PERKINS

Dainty gifts covered in cretonne are certain to find a welcome in any household, and such a variety of things can be made that you will have no difficulty in filling a want of each one whom you wish to remember on Christmas day.

The unique pair of book ends in Fig. 1 are made of strap cane. The secret of making satisfactory book ends is to properly weight them so they will not upset, and the book



ends illustrated are weighted by Eli-

Cretonne with small patterns is the most desirable for small articles, and patterns with dark backgrounds are preferable for articles such as the book ends, which are likely to soil through much handling. Sew a piece of cretonne around the sides of each can, then by means of a gathering string gather the cloth as indicated in Fig. 1. Sew a fancy button, or a cretonne covered button, to the center of the top.

Fig. 2 shows a handy twine holder made of a sirup can. A hole must be pierced through the exact center of the can bottom as an outlet for the string (A, Fig. 3), and holes one-half inch apart must be pierced through the top rim to provide a means of fastening the top edge of the cretonne. The holes can be perforated by means of a nail and hammer. Gather the cretonne on the bottom, and turn the top edge over the rim and sew through the perforations in the rim.

Make a hanger for the twine holder out of cretonne or ribbon.

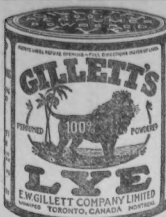
The hanging workbox in Fig. 4 requires a square cardboard box. Remove two adjacent sides of both the box and cover (Fig. 5), then attach the cover to the box (Fig. 6). The



cretonne may either be stitched over the open edges of the box, or be glued to the cardboard. Sew a doubled strip of cretonne, or a ribbon, to the open corners for a hanger.



tonne covering. Lap the creannan over the edges as indicated in Fig. 4 and glue it to the cardboard, and make a pocket on one edge to hold a pencil. Cut sheets of writing paper of the right size to extend a trifle over the lapped edges of the creannan and glue them in place, then divide the paper into spaces, and index the spaces (Fig. 8). A fancy work ring provides a banner.



Education in New World Era

The world upheaval occasioned by the Great War is having its effects not only upon politics and political institutions, finance, trade and commerce, and economics in general, but also upon all social and moral relations. While the great struggle was in progress, and the need for bringing every ounce of power and every form of resource to bear to achieve victory became more and more evident, people began to say that the old world would never again be the same. This, in fact, became a truism, and many who made a life of it hardly realized just how true it was and how great was the revolution taking place in the world, and which was affecting every phase of individual, community, national and international life.

Remarkable and far-reaching as have been the changes brought about in political life and institutions, there here in Canada we are only now beginning to realize just how great the change has been, and just beginning to get a glimpse of what the new era brings greater changes which seem impending in finance, trade and commerce, in science and invention, the greatest change of all has taken place in the sphere of social conditions. The insistent demands of Labor for a new place in the social order, the almost world-wide sweep of the movement against the perpetration of the legalized liquor traffic, the insistence upon greater attention being paid to the health and physical well-being of the people, more especially of the boys and girls—the need for which was so startlingly exposed by the examinations conducted by the army doctors in connection with the recruiting of the immense armies which modern war called for—these things are even more significant of the new era upon which the world has entered than are those which have to do with what in the past we have been taught to regard as the more material things.

And in the laying of the foundation for, and in the development of, this new social order, the most thoughtful men and women have come to recognize that no one institution will be called upon to play a larger or more important part than the public schools and higher institutions of learning throughout this and all other lands. In every progressive country today, education is receiving the serious attention of the most public-spirited and far-seeing statesmen and leaders in public life.

In Great Britain it has found expression in the most sweeping educational reforms of the last half century or more, and the appropriation of positively staggering sums of money, even at a time when the Old Land is faced with a tremendous national debt and taxation has reached heights hitherto undreamed of.

In Canada a general awakening in regard to matters educational is in evidence in almost every Province, and is most noticeable of all in the Provinces of the West and in old Quebec. The change which is taking place in the latter Province is, perhaps, most significant of all, and has in it all the elements that may yet lead to a closer union between Quebec and the other Provinces and

help to eliminate those causes of friction which in the past have so greatly retarded our national life. One of the most promising movements so far as Canada is concerned was the convening of the recent National Conference on Character Education in Relation to Canadian Citizenship, which was held at Winnipeg, October 20-22, and which was attended by representative men and women in all walks of life from every Province of the Dominion, and at which inspiring and instructive addresses were delivered, not only by prominent Canadians, but by leaders of thought from the United States and Great Britain.

So important does the writer of this column consider this great National Conference to have been at this stage in Canada's history, that he proposes to devote some space to its deliberations in future articles.

Very Accommodating

"How did you get out?" The sweet maiden breathed the words into her lover's manly ear as she met him in the passage. He had been to the doctor, and she wanted to know the result.

"Oh, your father is heartless!" said the young man indignantly. "I told him I could not live without you, and—"

"Yes, Yes!"—impatiently. "What did he say?"

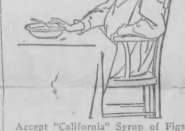
"He merely offered to pay my medical expenses!"

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For Soldier Settlers

School Lands in Manitoba and Saskatchewan Withheld From Sale

Through the intervention of the Soldier Settlement board, school lands in Manitoba and Saskatchewan aggregating 432,000 acres, have been withheld from sale by auction in order to be made available for settlement by returned soldiers. Arrangements have been completed to advertise these lands, 2700 quarter sections in all, for sale by public auction this fall. The lands are situated in the Winnipeg, Brandon, Assiniboia, and the Red Lake districts in Manitoba, and the Carleton Place, Prince Albert and Waskia districts in Saskatchewan. They were selected because of the fact that in these crops this year were good and increased settlement is particularly desirable. The provincial governments concurred in the sale.

No child should be allowed to suffer as long from worms when relief can be got in a simple but strong remedy. Mother Graves' Worm Expeller.

At Swedish weddings, among the middle and lower classes, the bridegroom carries a whip. This is an emblem of his authority in the domestic circle.

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In Russia, certain peasant costumes are trimmed with the skins of the turbot, and in Egypt men wear sandals made from the skins of fish caught in the Red Sea.

Minard's Liniment Cures Dystemper

British Strike Very Costly The approximate cost of the recent railway strike to the British treasury was \$10,000,000 sterling, according to an announcement made by the Chancellor of the Exchequer in the House of Commons. The Chancellor added that the public campaign against the strike cost the government more than \$32,000 sterling.

It is not natural that a man should get hot when others "toast" him.

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U.S. May Purchase British Airship

Two and a Half Million Dollars Appropriated By Congress for Purchase

An early closing of the contract for the purchase by the navy department of the British rigid airship R38, the largest airship in the world, now under construction in England, is expected, it was stated at Washington. Two and a half million dollars were appropriated by congress for the purchase of this airship.

"The success," said the statement, "of the British in building and operating rigid airships is proved by the trip of the R34 to the United States and its return to England. While the Germans had many years' start of the British, the latter have making wonderful progress in the last few years.

R38 to outward appearances will look like the R34, but her dimensions, horse-power, speed and radius of action will be much greater. When full of gas, she will have a 2724,000 cubic foot capacity, which is fifteen times that of the C5, the United States naval dirigible blown to sea and lost last spring at Newfoundland on the eve of an attempt to cross the Atlantic.

The R38 is 694 feet in length, 86 feet in diameter, 93 feet six inches high, and carries a useful load of 45 tons. She is expected to have a maximum speed of sixty knots.

"The British air ministry has offered to train personnel for the R38, that upon delivery the airship can be taken over immediately by a United States crew and flown to the U.S."

A woman who attempts to cook according to her husband's idea is apt to make a mess of it.

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Sloan's Liniment Keep it handy

Growing on the Manitoba Agricultural College grounds are a number of selected native seedling plum trees. These trees were in full bearing this year, and their crop has demonstrated very clearly that plums of good size and quality can be grown in Manitoba. From 50 to 100 pounds of fruit have been taken from each tree.

Corns cannot exist when Holloway's Corn Cure is applied to them, because it goes to the root and kills the growth.

En Route From Siberia

Seven Hundred British Soldiers Due to Reach Vancouver Nov. 11.

Seven hundred British soldiers now on the sea eastbound from Vladivostok on the C.P.S. S. Montague will arrive in Vancouver on Armistice day, Nov. 11, and will be entertained during their brief stay by the Great War Veterans, the Imperial Veterans and the Ladies Auxiliaries of the Army and Navy.

These troops include men from several famous British regiments. They are all volunteers and have served for four and a half years. There are First World War, Manchester, Gordon Highlanders and Durham in the party. They will be in Montreal, en route to England about Nov. 17.

To Utilize Tidal Power

In view of the shortage of British coal for export purposes, it is reported that French scientists and industrialists are endeavoring to supply power by harnessing the tides. For several years French scientists have declared that this was no fantastic dream, and already considerable data on the subject have been collected. In order to apply these principles to the test of practice, a small scientific company has been formed to carry out experiments at Blois-aunch, on the Cotes du Nord.

What other men have done, you may do. Carlyle says: "He can who thinks he can." Emerson says: "No body can cheat you out of ultimate success but yourself."

Dominions Take New Status

Manchester Guardian Talks of Revolution in Unwritten Constitution of Empire

The Manchester Guardian in discussing the revolution which has taken place in the unwritten constitution of the British Empire, calls attention to the fact that the dominions are individual states under the peace treaty and have separate votes in the League of Nations' council. "This point," it says, "is better realized in America than in Great Britain, as is shown in one of the proposed league resolutions in the American senate that on any issue in which the British Empire, or any dominion, is involved, the British Empire suffrage be restricted to one vote."

The Guardian thinks this proposal will not readily find acceptance in the dominions and says Sir Robert Borden's recent insistence on the right of the Canadian parliament to debate the ratification of the peace treaty is symptomatic of the increasing determination of the dominions to assert individuality. If the league is not to meet with embarrassments it is essential that the new status of the dominions be fully considered and regularized, the Guardian concludes.

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Cowles and Roberts watched the waiter set down the glasses and turn away. Then they laughed, each at the other, but without glances.

"Hobbs," said Cowles, "you don't seem to yearn for your medicine."

"No, Charley," answered Roberts. "And I don't observe an absorbent haste on your part. What do you suppose is the matter with us?"

They gazed at each other for a moment pretty well to pieces," said Roberts. "Didn't take care of herself. Whoever it was said he had seen her in the chorus of a fly-by-night musical



"Right," said Roberta. "That's just the way I feel, too." He looked around the room critically. "And as yet no body seems at all inclined to start us along on the descent. What's the matter with the old place, Charley? Here it is half past nine o'clock. Christmas eve, and there are less than twenty people here—And all so cross. What are you looking at?"

"One of those 'you-have-to-be-what-you-are' sort of situations," Robert said, laughing. "I was a bit caustically looked obliquely into the mirror and studied the woman's face."

"I'll bet you know her, too," retorted Cowles. "She is probably the lady cashier who used to smile across her desk at us languishingly when she gave us our change for our beef and beans—before you got plutocratic and married and shook all your friends."

Both men sprang to their feet, snatching off their hats.

"I beg your pardon," said Roberts, "you called her 'bronze-haired and brazen-faced,' and she is."


"I hope," spoke up the young woman, with startlingly distinct voice and well-unlimited aplomb and intonation, "that the next time you two men see you'll remember me! Take a good look."

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"Why do you think I'd ask you to meet me at a joint like this, tonight of all nights, if there wasn't trouble with Rose?" growled Roberts. "I'm kind of cranky. Come on over here, both of you. Perhaps you can talk me out of it."



Cowles interrupted precipitately: "Let me tell mine," she urged. "I'm the worst case. I've just lost my job. I'm a newspaper man, and I've never been noted for my saving disposition."

Miss Carell nodded with a smile which seemed reminiscent. Almost involuntarily she hitched her chair over a little closer to Cowles. The instinct of the stage lady to cuddle up to the youth who may come time

"Iols," said Cowles, after "you're speaking slowly and low." "You're like me you're doing it all right. I'm like him. It's my business but I like you too much not to tell you that I hate to see you starting out on a tear because you've got a growth on

with all the nice girls who live in town especially nice to him and I've got a chance to get lost my job and I'll be by the latest count I have in my pocket son but thirteen dollars, and forty cents good and lawful coin from the United States and nothing more coming to me. That's all."

Roberts took up the story.

"After that, I had a pretty good time," he says, "and then after the party, I went to the bar and I met a girl named Mary. I thought she was something when you got to it. I was like, 'I like her.' She was a little bit of a flirt, but she was a real nice girl. I was tapping the floor under the table. It was when you got used to it. I think you can always tell a girl whether one day and day that nobody will believe you when you say that you're going to steal a dress and a second-hand 'what burts. This time next year you'll be laughing at your own face, dear."

His eye intently and shook her head. The hard lines in her face became more rigid.

"Cables reached for his glass. She stopped him.

"No," she said, "let's all start even. I want to know your friend's trouble."

"Never mind about mine," said Roberts, looking away from them both. He was almost, but not quite,


"You're been having trouble at home?"

Roberts nodded.

"Tell me! What's the trouble?" She leaned across the table toward him, speaking very softly with misty eyes. Roberts did not raise his head.

"Christmas presents," he said.

She drew back her hand and laughed, just three or four peppy notes and then became grave again—



"Well, that was just a starter. And after the very first, I didn't care any more. Something broke and all the care dropped away from me. You've got your troubles of where to eat and sleep and drink," she said to Cowles. "And you've got a heart that's pretty near to breaking—and maybe will," she said to Roberts. "But as for me, I've had all those troubles for years and I haven't

"It Is Sadie, All Right"
any's today and I did. And she picked out a ring and I told her I couldn't come with her because I didn't want to go if it unless—unless I broke my promise to increase my brother's college allowance. And she was hurt and then she was angry and she said things. You don't know—but she said I was a WAB—a rich man—an old man—and I guess people don't sock their wedding presents until pretty near the end of the year. And she says so I ain't can hear everything that goes on down there. And the baby—anyway, the little girl began asking two weeks ago about a Christmas tree. And yesterday they told her that Santa Claus was getting snobbish nowadays and wasn't interested in poor people—or poor people's little girls—not even

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she was going away on a long journey before morning—oh, so, folks, it's all right," the man said, and looked at her keenly—I think she did not know her own; it's all right. Wait till I tell you. And we walked up to her fat house, and she said to us, "I'll be in the way uptown so you got to cry like a little girl because she didn't have any dolly of her own, and I bought her one; horrible thing, paid—she chitron came and took her." And then we walked up to the park.

"We have bought," the fat proprietor, exuding greasy gratification, made figures on a pad with one dollar and thirty-six cents," with a burst of generosity, added, "I'll grow off the six cents." The others laughed, but Cowley was silent.

"Yes," he said, "I'm afraid we're poor enough. Half of fifteen is as far as I really ought to go."

When there wasn't a man after Christmas tree had been put in, Cowles met you," he called to them. "Big Jim—no, not there. At the drug store on the corner above Christmas to the kid." It was nearly twelve when Cowles left at the drug store and met the

who has been begging me to come up over Christmas. And when I've got a little rent and my nerves straightened down, I'm going to take a night drive on the Planet that's been offered. I'm only a soured on the piano. I sit. Huh."

Through a break in the roar of the city's night came the far-off thrills of chimes ringing in the Christmas morn. Cawley looked up at the sky. "O did

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your wife. Now, I'm hopeless and

Bring Ocean Liners Nearer To West

Ottawa.—Western Canada is vitally interested in a scheme whereby facilities is shortly to be submitted for consideration before the International Joint Commission.

The governments of the United States and Canada are acting jointly in the submission to the commission of an enquiry into the deepening of the St. Lawrence river between Montreal and Lake Ontario to enable ocean-going vessels to proceed to the head of the lakes, and also to equip into the joint development by the two countries of the three million potential horse power.

If the plan, which is enthusiastically backed in the States, carries, it will be possible for ocean-going vessels to go inland by the new Welland canal near 2,100 miles from the gulf. It will cheaper and facilitate the handling of the western crops by reducing freight rates compared with the cost of railway transport, and would also enable freight to be taken far inland to the west by water. The half million tons of carriers now staging at Port Colborne could go to Montreal.

W. J. Stewart, Dominion hydro engineer, has been delegated by the Canadian Government to act in conjunction with Colonel Kitchin of the United States War Department, in determining the terms of reference to the commission.

Sir Oliver Lodge on Atomic Properties

Hopes We Will Not Know Their Power Yet

Sir Oliver Lodge, a physicist, in an address at the Midland Institute in conjunction with the meeting of the Royal Society, held on the occasion of the one hundredth anniversary of the birth of James Watt, speaker of the address, again touched upon the subject of atomic properties of matter. Sir Oliver declared that the first atom bomb was exploded in the matter was in wireless telegraphy. He said that the atomic energy of an element of matter could be utilized if it would be sufficient to raise the German ships sunk in the Scapa Flow. He said, however, that he feared the atomic war would never come to pass. He said that he had brains and muscles, but he did not know how to use them properly, because if the discovery were made before the time, it would be used by the wrong people, the discovery would be made.

Kingsford Editor Goes to Saskatoon. Kingston, Ont.—J. Kingsford, editor of the Kingston Whig, left for Saskatoon to accept the position of editor of the Saskatchewan Herald, a position of political science.

Johnston, Mr. Elliott is a graduate in arts at Queen's University, and is a son of J. G. Elliott, ex-president of the Canadian Press Association.

Wonderful Wireless Tests. New London, Conn.—A radio experiment made by New London, in Long Island Sound by the experimental station, and section, established communication, both telephone and telegraph, between a hydroplane flying nearly 2,000 feet above the air and a submerged submarine several fathoms in the water.

Would Free Land From All Tyranny

London.—Premier Lloyd George, speaking before the International Brotherhood Congress, was expected, did not touch upon many of the important questions in which the nation is deeply concerned.

The Premier was enthusiastically received, and began by saying that a political platform was not involved at the meeting. "If I made a political announcement," he added, "I should feel that I was intruding the hospitality of the brotherhood."

He expressed the hope that all arguments would disappear and that the long drawn misunderstandings between Ireland and the rest of the Dominion would also disappear.

"I am looking forward," he continued, "to seeing waste in all forms disappear and a new Britain springing—a really free land, free from poverty, free from the tyranny of man over man. Some people think that I have accepted

German Troops For Baltic Front

All Warnings of Allies Are Disregarded in Moscow

Warsaw.—The assertion is made by the New York Times that the German units in the Baltic provinces is rapidly growing and that officers and men are arriving there daily from Germany. Even the smallest places in Courland are strongly fortified.

Staff Captain Storover, at Blank Courland, says the corresponding report: "For the killers and the enemy against democracy. We had rather die than be dismembered."

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School Lands For Soldiers

Manitoba Lays Six Million Acres of Unimproved Lands Before

Winnipeg.—By an order-in-council passed, Acting Premier Hon. Edward Brown, and the provincial cabinet, have laid six million acres of unimproved farm lands on the market for returned soldiers. This is the greatest offer by the government up to the present time for the re-establishment of returned men.

The order-in-council provides for the establishment of a board to determine the price the province shall receive for its land. Gen. A. McCrellan, administrator of succession duties for the provincial government, will act as arbitrator for the province of Manitoba. The federal government will also name a member of the arbitration board.

The land which has been thrown open to all unimproved, much of it suitable for growing crops. It is known at the present time as provincial school lands. The value placed on it by the public accounts of 1918 is \$1,000,000.

Fiume Isolated By Italy

Investigation Has Shown That Plan Is Originated in Venice

London.—Fiume has been isolated from the world by the Italian government, which is apparently taking steps to meet the situation that has arisen through the action of Captain D'Annunzio in forcibly taking possession of the city and in forcing Italian troops to leave. The plan to isolate Fiume was drawn, and that time little has been learned of it in the city.

Investigation of the incident has shown, according to advices, that the plan to seize Fiume originated in Venice, the price of the city is to be paid in the future.

Copenhagen's Fortifications

Copenhagen, Denmark.—The Danish government has submitted a bill to the Folketing, the Danish parliament, for the immediate demolition of the greater part of the fortifications of Copenhagen. This means that the whole of the land and a large part of the coast fortifications would be razed.

Ten Regiments 'To Defend Fiume'

Italian Nationalists, Although Suppressed, Are Still Active in Movement

Rome.—D'Annunzio's force, according to the idea of the Nationalists, consists of ten regiments, in addition to four battalions of Italian volunteers. He has occupied a fortified island around Fiume as a strategic position.

The Nationalists are organizing demonstrations throughout Italy in favor of D'Annunzio. The movement, however, is energetically repressing these.

Riga Peace Meeting

Copenhagen.—An important conference has been in session at Riga regarding not only peace with the Soviet government but also the formation of a Baltic federation. The conference has been very successful, according to advices from Latvian sources. There has been no actual acceptance of the Soviet government's terms, but, on the whole, it appears that the Baltic federation has materialized to the extent that an agreement has been reached between the union of Latvia and Lithuania.

Death of W. C. Urney

Toronto.—W. C. Urney, General Manager and president of the General Railway Company, Limited, died from heart failure at his office of his physician. He was a son of the late Edward Urney, founder of the General Railway Company, and was succeeded in the presidency of the company, and was in his 40th year.

Will Bring Down The High Prices

Judge Robson States That Price Probe Will Cover All Necessities

Winnipeg.—Judge H. A. Robson, chairman of the board of commerce, declares that drastic action, cutting down the cost of necessities will be taken by the board of commerce just as soon as the evidence at the different prices has been taken.

No advance on necessities will be tolerated, he said, and the board aims to prohibit the sale of all fancy goods. The retailer who takes a profit in excess of one cent per pound on any sale of sugar is liable to prosecution. This applies to Winnipeg dealers and is not limited to the East, Mr. Robson emphasized.

Regulations covering all packing plants and including such products as butter, eggs, cured meats and cold storage meats in general will be drafted shortly. The order will be very definite, Mr. Robson said.

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Robbery On Mail Train

Masked Men Robbed C.N.R. Express Passing Quebec

Quebec.—Five masked men bound and gagged the mail clerk on the Ocean Limited, Canadian National Railway, near Harlow, and robbed the mail car of \$7,500 in silver, which had been shipped from Montreal for Halifax.

The Ocean Limited does not stop at Harlow, but the mail clerk was reached. At Harlow the train had barely pulled out, according to the mail clerk foreman, when the five masked men, pointing automatics into the faces of the mail crew, shouted the dramatic and business-like "Hands up."

The mail clerk was bound and gagged, then made a dash to the baggage car, where he hid. At St. Thomas the train was stopped, and the mail clerk was released. It is believed that they had an automobile hidden in the bushes. It is thought that the mail for the United States border, and were expected to attempt to enter Maine.

Allies' Demand Agreed To

Austrians Cannot Participate in German Parliament or Government Affairs

Paris.—The "allies' declaration" concerning Article 61 of the German constitution demanded by the Allies has been signed by the German government. The declaration is a question, relating to Austrian representation in the German parliament, was not to be considered as transcending the action of the peace treaty for the participation in German affairs.

Praise for the Navy

Washington.—In the course of his speech, in acknowledging the honor conferred by Congress, General Pershing referred to the part played by the navy in transporting troops and supplies and in maintaining sea communications.

The navy was covered over with the maximum of safety, and comfort, and with incredibly small loss. In this arduous service the navy assisted the success of Great Britain during our lasting appreciation," he said.

Wheat Crop in Alberta

Edmonton, Alberta.—W. F. Stevens, representing the Alberta government in the Grange, Pacific and Peace River districts, estimates the wheat crop there to be about 8,000,000 bushels. A party of 63 members of the Edmonton Board of Trade is now in the district. A marked change is noted in the policy of the settlers, who are now becoming increasing mixed farming operations.

Rumanians Are Retreating

Budapest.—The Rumanian army has begun to withdraw from Budapest, a steady movement of trains is in progress. It is believed that the Rumanian army is retreating.

Lost Baby Dead

Lewistown, Mont.—A lone hiker, unaccompanied, with a gun in either hand, held up the Buffalo State bank here, receiving with him more than \$200. Several posts are now searching for the outlaw.

To Try Kaler

London.—The Solicitor-General, Sir Gordon Heyatt, has completed the case to the jurisdiction of the former German emperor, according to the Mirror. The place for the trial has not yet been settled.

An Irish Philosopher Says It's All Right, Provided He While the Sun Shines, Provided It is Chained

Would Popularize Reindeer Meat

Stefansson Says Canada Has Finest Climate in the World

Calgary.—"The finest climate in the world is the climate that is conducive to work, not idleness. I hear people praise the southern climes to the disparagement of our vigorous north," said Stefansson, explorer, addressing an audience here.

Mr. Stefansson solicited support for his campaign to popularize reindeer raising, telling some amazing facts concerning this industry in the far north, and of the possibilities of the country, saying the northern zone had a great era of civilization before it. Reindeer was produced cheaper than any meat in the world, and brought a higher price today on the market than beef.

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London.—Charles McCurdy, parliamentary secretary to the Food Minister, declared that the government has plans to stamp out profiteering, and is determined to stamp them out. Mr. McCurdy was speaking at the opening day of the administrative of the new Food Minister, and alluded to the new Canadian states dealing with a similar evil.

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Food Prices Dropping In United States

Million Pounds Of Bacon In Storage

Price Cannot Be Lowered

Toronto.—W. F. O'Connor, N.C. vice-chairman of the Council of Canadian Manufacturers, proposes that Canadian manufacturers of bacon shall have an opportunity to get in some of the bacon stores which have been expected to the country and sold at comparatively low prices. He intimated, however, that the supply of Canadian bacon has on hand, would be needed for some time.

Mr. Fox said the Canadians would not have the cheaper bacon that was sold in England, but that it was "it may be worth while to test this with this month's test to see if you have difficulty in disposing of it," retorted Mr. O'Connor.

"Certainly, we would like to try it," he added.

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Minor Modifications Of Treaty Terms

New York.—The Associated Press issues the following:

In Paris the Council of Four continues to discuss points brought out by the German counter-proposals to the German peace treaty, especially as concerns territorial questions and reparations.

Experts on both these questions have been called before the council for conferences, and the belief apparently prevails in unofficial quarters in Paris that some modifications may be expected in the original terms of the treaty, particularly as regards the Saar basin and Silesia.

Discussion of the protest of Germany that being left without merchant ships, she is rendered impossible to resume her trade, and thereby unable to aid in paying the indemnities asked, also has been taken up by the council.

The expectation is that the council will heed reports of the urgent necessity to render a quick decision on the matters in controversy owing to the situation in Germany.

One report has it that Herr Noske, the German minister of foreign affairs, has inspected the coast defenses and ordered the garrisons to be ready for emergencies.

An appeal to the United States people by magistrates of 200 German municipalities, representing virtually half the population of Germany, has been signed. It demands "peace and justice," under President Wilson's 14 points, and protests against the continuation of the blockade against Germany.

Paris.—These are anxious days throughout peace conference circles, with both the German and Austrian treaties in the balance, and every effort is being made to secure early and unified action. Many private conferences are going on, including one between A. J. Balfour, British Foreign Secretary, and Col. House, of the American delegation, all seeking to clarify the situation and determine the course of action.

The prevailing view of those taking

part was hopeful of early and satisfactory results. They admitted that the conditions were difficult, and the differences were rather sharply drawn, but insisted that there was no reason to suppose that the German counter-proposals were threatening an agreement. Indications were that certain general results are already beginning to take form. The German counter-proposals, as a whole, undoubtedly will be rejected, but a number of suggestions may be embodied in the allied treaty, not with any purpose of modifying or softening the document, but for the purpose of making it workable and achieving the supreme end of getting it signed and restoring peace.

Certain concrete results appear to be taking form, such as the fixing of reparations at a definite sum around one hundred million marks, instead of giving the commission indefinite authority to assess beyond that sum during the period of occupation of the western frontier from fifteen to twenty years.

Readjustment of the Silesia terms at which Germany was greatly aroused, so that the population may secure self-determination, probably through a plebiscite. With respect to the League of Nations, the British representative is reported to be leaning toward admitting Germany, on the ground that it would bind her to keep peace. But France would not consent to this, and the British representative is reported to be keeping Germany outside the League.

Besides making the amount of the reparations definite, the time for the first payment may be extended. The allies have fixed two years; the German counter-proposal asks seven years. The experts suggest a compromise of four years. The German complaint that they will be without merchant ships, it is suggested, will be met by the chartering a limited number of ships so that the resumption of trade will permit the payment of reparations.

G.W.V. Would Probe Labor Unrest

Suspicion That Workers Are Being Systematically Robbed By Profiteers

Toronto.—An immediate effort to reach the solution of the labor unrest manifest throughout the country is demanded by the provincial executive of the Great War Veterans' association, which has been in session here. The executive calls for "drastic steps to deal with the labor, food and clothing situation by the present cabinet." The unanimous opinion of the executive was that their efforts to find employment for returned soldiers were fruitless because of the labor unrest. This unrest, the executive believes, is largely due to "suspect that the workers are being systematically robbed by profiteers."

The executive calls for a solution of the high cost of living. It asks for representation upon the committee which is chosen for investigating the question.

Dodging Responsibility For Starting War

Berlin.—(Associated Press).—Prof. Hans Delbrueck, General Count Max von Mecklenburg, and Professor Weber, German experts on Versailles, have drawn up a long memorandum on the question of responsibility of the war, which will be presented as a reply to the entire commission's report on the subject.

The memorandum argues the necessity of submitting the question to an impartial commission for investigation, and denies there was any secret plot between Berlin and Vienna to destroy Serbia.

It says that the German government could not accept the efforts of the Edward Grey, the British Secretary for Foreign Affairs in 1914, who offered to mediate, because it doubted his powers to check the warlike intentions of Russia. Emperor Nicholas' proposal to refer the dispute to The Hague also failed, it is said, because on the same day the Russian war was made the mobilization of thirteen army corps was ordered. Russia's Imperialist policy, the memo argues, made war with Germany inevitable.

It says that Germany's war against France was one of defence and admits that Germany's naval policy was of such a nature as to arouse the distrust of Great Britain.

Austria Is Apathetic

Willing to Accept Conditions as Laid Down And Thus Bring Peace

New York.—The Associated Press issues the following: Like the German government, the Austrian government is said to be dissatisfied with the peace terms of the allied and associated powers, which are declared by one of the responsible newspapers of Vienna to be unacceptable.

Unlike the German populace at large, however, the Austrian people apparently are apathetic and expect no easy terms, and are willing and even anxious to accept the conditions as laid down, and thus bring peace to the sorely stricken former empire, which is rendered by the treaty virtually an inland state of small territorial proportions.

After a casual glance over the peace terms, the German press has no doubt as to who won the battle of Jutland.—Toronto Telegram.

Canada's Status

In League of Nations on a Par With Smaller States of World

London.—Replying in the House of Commons to Mr. Norton Griffiths, Rt. Hon. Bonar Law, government leader in the House, stated the government intended that representation of the dominions in the League of Nations should be as full as that of any other sovereign nations. Representatives of the dominions would be eligible for election to the council of the league on the same terms as other members of the League.

Wish to Join Sweden

Stockholm.—The Landsting of Aland Islands has sent to the Peace Conference a resolution demanding the reunion of the Aland Islands with Sweden. The resolution was adopted unanimously at a meeting of delegates at Mariehamn.

Germany Prepares for Emergency

Paris.—Reports from the peace conference circles that Gustav Noske, the German minister of defence, recently made a tour of the German coast defence and to arouse the preparedness for emergency.

U.S. Bomb Terrorism

Effect of Outrages Is to Prepare New and Severe Penalties for Convicted Perpetrators

Washington.—Investigation of the bomb explosion at eight cities which were intended to kill public men, has convinced secret service chiefs here that the outrages had a common source and that they were planned as an unsuccessful attempt on the part of a still unknown anarchist group to cause a reign of terror. It began with the May-Day attempt to deliver a series of infernal machines through the mails out of New York. A Washington police devoted efforts to re-assembling fragments of the man who was killed at the door of Attorney-General Palmer's home, while attempting to plant his charge of explosives. Mr. Palmer himself dismissed the incidents today as "utterly futile to terrorize the country and stay the hand of the government," which purpose he ascribed to the authors of the outrages.

Government experts on explosives after surveying the site of the explosion here and the partially demolished dwelling to the conclusion that two separate bombs exploded, probably when the man carrying them attempted to start the fuse. In both houses of congress members began the preparation of measures providing new and severe penalties for convicted perpetrators of such crimes.

Allies Stop General Strike

German Protest Against Rhineland Republic

Coblenz.—A general strike throughout the occupied area was declared by the Germans as a protest against the reported launching of the Rhineland republic at Wiesbaden. It was brief, however, being only four hours in duration. The strike was called off by the German government, which was alarmed by the consequences of the allied military authorities. The principal cause of the strike was the fact that the workers were railway employees and the street car workers at Treves and Coblenz.

When the news of the strike became known, word was sent to the workers that unless the Germans returned to work by 1 o'clock the leaders and all the other workers would be deported into sections of Germany unoccupied by allied troops. The inter-allied railway commission reported that all the workers had returned to their jobs. Newspapers in Coblenz printed stories denying the strike of the German republic at Wiesbaden, and asserting that the report was an effort on the part of certain Germans to mislead the population of the Rhineland.

Lithuanians Want Independence

German Declare American Property Is Practically Intact

Paris.—The subject of German property in the United States and American property in Germany has attracted the careful attention of experts, preparatory to an exchange of notes determined by the situation.

German property in the United States, outside of ships, is estimated at \$450,000,000. American property in Germany is estimated at \$1,000,000,000. The Germans declare the American property is practically intact. Apparently they are disposed to return it, if the United States will adopt a similar course.

While recognizing the principle of inviolability of private property, the American view is that much of the German property in the United States is semi-governmental and therefore not protected as private property.

The merchant ships in American ports will undoubtedly be retained. The first plan was to offer the ships against the American share of reparations, but it is proposed now to purchase the ships and use them as military or naval vessels.

Disallow Women in Synd

Anglicans Fear If Women Attended as Delegates It Would Drive Away Men

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Bishop Bidwell took the view that while the church would benefit by having women delegates, it would stand to lose more than it would gain in absence of the men delegates, which would be the case from permitting women to have part in the synod. He pointed out that it was hard enough to get men to attend now; it would be harder if women were admitted. Only seven voted for the women.

Huns Must Take Hats Off to British Officers

Churchill Informa British House That This Is Regulation

London.—In the commons, in reply to Col. J. C. Wedgwood, who asked whether the Germans in occupied territories had to take off their hats and step off the sidewalks on meeting British officers, Rt. Hon. Winston Churchill, secretary for war, said, amid loud cheers, that when Germans addressed British officers they were required to take off their hats. He saw no reason to suppose that the practice would be discontinued after the signing of peace. This was one of the military regulations deemed suitable and appropriate to the period of occupation. The regulations were very much less severe than those which the Germans were accustomed to impose in occupied territories.

He believed that our regulations would bear comparison with those of the other great powers during the war. He was not prepared to deprive the army of its rights.

Replv to a question on questions as regards American practice, Mr. Churchill said he was quite content to be guided by the officers responsible for the conduct of the British army, which was not likely to be unduly severe. (Cheers.)

Asks Admission To League

Luxembourg Wish Their Country to Remain Autonomous

Luxembourg.—Secretary of State Reuter read in the chamber of deputies of the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg a letter from the president of the Luxembourg delegation to come to Paris. He said the government was ready to leave at any time to take part in the peace conference that the people of Luxembourg wish their country to remain autonomous and to retain its economic union with France or Belgium, or if that was found impossible to open negotiations with those two countries to learn their conditions.

He added that the government was also asked that Luxembourg be admitted to the League of Nations.

Italian Claims Being Adjusted

Paris.—Italy's President, who have been overhauled and practically overlooked for several days because of the discussion over the proposed changes in the German treaty, were at the suggestion of the Italians, again considered in private conference between the Italian and United States delegates.

The United States citizens expressed the belief that a compromise formula would be speedily found.

Lithuanians Want Independence

Paris.—The Lithuanian authorities have demanded that the Peace Conference appoint a commission to inquire into the claims of Lithuania in parts of Lithuania occupied by Polish forces.

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Postal Employees Are Discharged

Ottawa, Ont.—That the government is determined not to renege on its promise to employ on a sympathetic strike in the West and declined to return to duty when requested to do so, seven of the two telegrams sent by Sir Robert Borden, one to R. Slacks, secretary of the central strike committee, Calgary, and the other to V. Hollingsworth, secretary of the Alberta Methodist conference.

The prime minister's telegram was in reply to messages received by him. The message from Mr. Slacks to the premier conveys a long resolution passed by the Brotherhood of Dominion Express employees condemning the announcement by the government to renege on its promise to employ on a sympathetic strike should be considered dismissed.

The telegram concluded: "The central strike committee notes in passing that the Dominion government, after having been appealed to to settle present crisis in a manner satisfactory to labor, has answered the appeal by taking up an unambiguously retaliatory attitude. The people's government must once more asked to stand behind the people, not against them."

The telegram from the Alberta Methodist conference proposed a resolution passed by that body, expressing the view that the action of the government in renegeing on its promise to employ on a sympathetic strike, and to be subversive of the principles enunciated by the commission on labor legislation accepted by the peace conference, in the preparation of which Sir Robert Borden is said to have taken a leading part.

The telegram called upon the government to repeal its action and expressed the opinion that employees of public utility companies, provincial and federal, must be guaranteed the right of effective protest against wrong conditions of employment.

Sir Robert Borden's reply to the secretary of the central strike committee was as follows:

Murderous Italians

Two Austrians Killed at Hamilton, and Two Wounded

Hamilton, Ont.—Two Austrians were slain and two others fatally wounded at the Tuckett Arm, on the Beach road.

Eight Italians, who claimed they were liquor detectives, insisted on searching the houses for liquor. They lined up the ten Austrians who occupied the houses, and at the point of revolvers went through their pockets. After securing \$1,000, they deliberately shot into the line of Austrians, who were unarmed and who did not realize that they were being shot.

Four of them fell, two mortally wounded, and the Italians escaped.

German Chancellor's Declaration

Versailles.—A member of the German delegation with the rank of minister plenipotentiary, and a member of the council of legation, who returned here recently from Berlin, made this declaration concerning the peace treaty: "We will sign, despite all, because we will be asked to place if we return to Berlin without signing."

Less Than 80,000 Overseas

London.—There are less than 80,000 Canadians now awaiting repatriation. Over \$4,000,000 sailed during the month of May. The last units of the fourth division sailed on the Olympic on Friday.

Huns Are Told Some Plain Truths

Berlin.—(French Wireless).—"The German propaganda against the restoration of German prisoners of war by the allied governments does not take into consideration what the German High Command has done to the prisoners of war."

It says Professor Foster of the University of Toronto, in a review of the Review Montagu, criticizing the German attitude on the prisoner question, that the German High Command has done to the prisoners of war. It says Professor Foster of the University of Toronto, in a review of the Review Montagu, criticizing the German attitude on the prisoner question, that the German High Command has done to the prisoners of war.

"The propaganda," he says, "reveals a lack of psychology and leads one to think that the new ideas have been everywhere. One of the most famous German university men wrote some time ago that the idea of detaining the German prisoners of war was the proceeds of the ancient Assyrians. It was not necessary for the writer to search the Assyrian annals to find out that the practice of the deportations of a large number of the unfortunates of the war."

"It is desirable that your attention should be called to facts which your committee has not taken into consideration. The government has always been prompt to give its best consideration to the demands of all public servants. In doing so it has no purpose to serve other than the public interest. It can only act under the mandate of the people's representatives in Parliament and always as trust and guardian of the public interests. The postal employees were bound by obligation and by duty faithfully to serve the people of Canada. They went out on strike in Winnipeg, not in respect of any grievance of their own, but in alleged sympathy with employees of private companies. They were given three days within which to return to their duty, and they were distinctly informed that they must make a choice between directions received by them from the strike committee and the duty which they owe to the people of Canada. Some of them returned. Those who persevered in the strike took their course deliberately and with full notice of the consequences which would inevitably follow."

"In other western cities before any strike took place a most distinct and positive intimation was given to postal employees that abandonment of their public duty, obedience to the directions of another authority and participation in a sympathetic strike would mean their permanent retirement from the public service. The people of Canada cannot tolerate a proposal that under such circumstances civil servants shall be permitted to violate their duty and to leave the public service, to occasion private inconvenience and suffering, and to pose aside all respect for public order. The government cannot reinstate men who have deserted their posts under such circumstances unless it is prepared to abandon all its festive attempt to maintain the national services."

(Signed) "R. L. BORDEN."

Amir's Treachery

Military Position of British in Afghanistan Is Satisfactory

London.—Reuters' learns that the position in Afghanistan from the military viewpoint is much improved. Probable developments from the Amir's latest move cannot be foreseen, but much more definite information with regard to Afghan attitude is available, but it may be pointed out that the Amir's letter to the viceroy and his orders to the provinces both contain glaring inaccuracies.

The suggestion that the Afghans have prepared to abandon all their ties with any British act of course, quite untrue. The fact is the Afghans troops crossed the border at a dozen points, and are now moving on our frontier as rapidly as possible when they received no provocation whatever.

Air Squadron for Russia

London.—Col. Collingwood, an Canadian squadron for Russia, has been ordered to leave for the front. The squadron is composed of Captains Kirkland and Galt, of Calgary; Lt. McDonald, of Regina; Morton and Breakey, Toronto; British, of Ontario; Lindsay, Toronto; Green, Peterborough; Allen, Manitoba; Stibbington, Quebec; and Richmond and Fall, Vancouver.

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